

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

**Routine Proceedings, pages S11701–S11748**

**Measures Introduced:** Four bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1906–1908, S. 1918, and S. Res. 284–285. **Page S11744**

**Measures Passed:**

**Authorizing Filming in Senate Chamber:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 284, authorizing filming in the Chamber of the Senate for the use by the Capitol Visitor Center. **Page S11747**

**Recognizing Hispanic Scientists:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 285, recognizing the efforts and contributions of outstanding national Hispanic scientists. **Page S11748**

**Labor/HHS/Education Appropriations:** Senate began consideration of H.R. 3010, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, agreeing to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, which will be considered as original text for the purpose of further amendment. **Pages S11702–31**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at 2 p.m. on Monday, October 24, 2005. **Page S11747**

**Nominations Confirmed:** Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Thomas Craig Wheeler, of Maryland, to be a Judge of the United States Court of Federal Claims for a term of fifteen years.

Margaret Mary Sweeney, of Virginia, to be a Judge of the United States Court of Federal Claims for a term of fifteen years.

Mark S. Schneider, of the District of Columbia to be Commissioner of Education Statistics for a term expiring June 21, 2009.

Diane Rivers, of Arkansas, to be a Member of the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science for a term expiring July 19, 2009.

Sandra Frances Ashworth, of Idaho, to be a Member of the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science for a term expiring July 19, 2009.

Jan Cellucci, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science for a term expiring July 19, 2009.

Christine M. Griffin, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission for a term expiring July 1, 2009.

Naomi Churchill Earp, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission for a term expiring July 1, 2010. .

Mark Hofflund, of Idaho, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts for the remainder of the term expiring September 3, 2008. **Page S11748**

**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations:

John F. Clark, of Virginia, to be Director of the United States Marshals Service.

George W. Foresman, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary for Preparedness, Department of Homeland Security.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

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**Measures Placed on Calendar:** **Pages S11744, S11747**

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**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 12:47 p.m., until 2 p.m., on Monday, October 24, 2005. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on pages S11747–48.)

### Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.